GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – West Godavari District – Anti-Corruption Bureau Trap case on Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana, former Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli Mandal, WG Dist. now retired – Initiation of Departmental Enquiry– Disciplinary action concluded – Imposed punishment of 5% cut in pension for a period of one year against Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar (Retd) – Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.III.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 365 Dated: 07-04-2017

Read the following:-

1)From D.G., A.C.B., LR. No 255/RCT-EWG/2009-S13 dated 08.06.2010.

2)Govt. Memo No 45330/Vig.VI(2)/2009-3 dated 10.11.2010.
3) From the CCLA LR. No VS.I(3)/605/2009 dated 03.03.2016
4) Govt. memo No 45330/Vig.III.2/2009 dated 21.06.2016.
5) Exp. of Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli Mandal, WG Dist now retired dated 14.07.2016.
6) Govt. Memo. No. 45330/Vig.III.2/2009. Dt. 17.10.2016.
7) Explanation of Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli Mandal, WG Dist now retired dated 24.10.2016.
8) From the secretary, APPSC, Lr.No. 43/DC&C/1/2017, dt. 10.03.2017.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, has reported that Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli Mandal, West Godavari District was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau officials on 12.10.2009 when he demanded and accepted a bribe of Rs.2000/- from the complainant viz., Sri Dunna Suman Babu, R/o Devarapalli for showing official favour of issuing duplicate patta (initially Rs.1000/- and Rs.1000/- after the work is done) and accepted further bribe of Rs.1000/-. The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, in his final report has recommending to place the Accused Officer, Sri MVV Satyanarayana Deputy Tahsildar, before the Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings and to initiate departmental action for violation of conduct Rules.

2) Government after careful examination of the matter have decided to entrust the case of Sri MVV Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar, to departmental action instead of Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings and directed the District Collector, West Godavari District, to conduct departmental enquiry against the Accused Officer duly obtaining draft Article of Charges including violation of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 from the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau and to furnish the enquiry report to Government for taking further action in the matter vide reference 2nd read above.

3) In the reference 3rd read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration has stated that in pursuance of the orders issued by the Government, the District Collector, has framed Article of Charges against Sri MVV Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar. The Accused Deputy Tahsildar has submitted his written statement of defense as the same is not convincing, the District Collector has appointed Project Officer, IIDA, K.R. Puram as Enquiry officer and Sri P. Narasimha Rao, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Eluru as Present Officer to conduct enquiry and furnish the inquiry report. The Enquiry officer has submitted his inquiry report and held that with regard to charge-I, the statement of the complainant given need to be considered as there is no evidence to contradict the version of the complainant and with regard to Charge –II, that the annual immovable and movable property statements from time to time from the year 1984 to 2010, he has submitted Xerox copies at the time of enquiry, but he did not produce any evidence to substantiate his

contention in this regard. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration / District Collector has reported that Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana, former Deputy Tahsidar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli mandal has retired from service on the AN of 30.06.2013 after attaining the age of Superannuation, hence, Govt. is competent to initiate disciplinary action against the Charged officer as per the Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised pension Rules, 1980.

4) In the reference 4th read above, Government have communicated the Inquiry report to the Charged Officer for his explanation under Rule 21(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services Rules 1991. In the reference 5th read above, the charged officer has submitted his explanation and requested to drop further action against him.

5) Government, after careful examination of the explanation of the Charged Officer, and the findings of the Inquiry Authority, have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of one (1) year against Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana, former Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli mandal under rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules,1980. Accordingly, the show cause notices were issued to the Charged Officer indicating the provisional decision for his representation, vide reference 6th read above. Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana, former Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli mandal has submitted his representation explaining the facts of the case and requested to drop further action against him.

6) Government after further examination of the matter have decided to confirm the provisional decision i.e to impose a penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of one (1) year against the Charged Officer, as the Charged Officer has not putforth any new grounds for consideration. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of one (1) year against Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana, former Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli mandal under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised pension Rules, 1980. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has also agreed the above punishment (Copy enclosed).

7) The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.C. SHARMA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana, Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Devarapalli Mandal, West Godavari District (Now retired) (Through the District Collector, West Godavari, District with a request to serve on the individual and submit the served copy)
Copy to :
The Secretary to Andhra Pradesh, Vigilance Commissioner, Velagapudi.
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The District Collector West Godavari, District.
The secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad.
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